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Terms of Sale: One fourth of the purchase money in cash; the residue in three equal pay money in each; the residue in three equal payments, payable respectively in six, twelve and eighteen menths from the day of sale; the deformed payments to be secured by the bonds of the purchaser, with good security, with interest from the day of sale, and the title of the property to be retained until the whole purchase price is paid.

LEONARD MARBURY, sep 4-ts

The above sale has been postponed until SATURDAY, November 1st, 1879, at the same place and hour.

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TRUSTEE'S SALE OF VALUABLE PROPERTY, AT CLIFTON, FAIRFAX COUNTY, VA.—By virtue of a deed of trust from Joseph J. Barnum and wife, dated the 1st day of July, 1871, recorded among the land records of Fairfax county, liber P. No. 4, folio 344, and for the purposes therein mentioned, the undersigned will offer for sale at public auction, at Fairfax C. H., on MONDAY, the 10th day of November next, (Court day, a VALUABLE LOT, with the IMPROVEMENTS thereon, within 50 yards of the passenger denot of the within 50 yards of the passenger depot of the Virginia Midland railroad, bounded as follows: Beginning at the southeast corner of William E. Ford's lot, on Main street, thence running on the westerly side of said street scutherly 95 feet the westerly side of said street scutherly 95 feet to South street; thence along the northerly line of South street westerly 58 feet 2 inches; thence northerly on the line of lot No. 7 95 feet; thence easterly 58 feet 2 inches along the line of said William E. Ford's lot to the point of beginning, known as lot No. 6 on the map of the Haniss property. The above lat is improved by a DW ELLING HOUSE, built in modern style, 20x49 feet, with seven finished rooms, besides the hall and kitchen.

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Trustees.

By O'Neal & Lucas, Auctioneers, TRUSTEE'S SALE-By virtue of a deed of trust, bearing date on the lith day of Feb. ruary, 1878, executed by John R. Johnston to me, and of record among the land records of Fairfax county, Virginia, in deed book W, No. BOOTS & SHOES | Fairfax county, Virginia, in deed book W. No. ing even date with said deed, drawn by the said John R. Johnston in favor of Harlow Brothers, of the city of Alexandria, for the sum of \$515, with interest thereon at six per cent per annum from date, and payable filteen months sandal from date, and payable litteen months after the date thereof, I will sell for cash at public auction to the highest bidder, at 12 o'clock m., on SATURDAY, the 25th day of October, 1879, in front of the Market House, on Reyal street, in the city of Alexandria, Virginia, all that TRACT OF LAND, situate, lying and being in the country of Fairfor, in the State of Virginia, the State of Virginia, the State of Virginia and the country of Fairfor, in the State of Virginia, ing in the county of Fairfax, in the State of Virginia, known as "ROSE HILL," which was conveyed to the said John R. Johnston by James U. Roach and wife by deed bearing date Oct 16, 1873, and of record in book Q. No. 4, page 220, of the land records of said county of Fairfax, with the execution of the said county of Fairfax, (with the exception of that part thoroof convey-ed by the sail Reach and wife to P. Lacey, containing sixteen acres) said to contain 59 seres, 1 rood and 12 poles, and more particularly des-cribed by metes and bounds in the deed of trust sforessid. JAMES R. CATON,

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Nineveh and Its Palaces. Jonah, iv., 11-"And why should I not spare Nineveh, that great city?" There are three sources of information as to the origin, extent, and fall of Ninevch-the Bible, the Greek historians, and cunciform inscriptions. These authorities synchronize in the main and supplement each other. It is a high and just compliment to the scriptures that they contain the earliest record of those mighty empires which were born in the Valley of the Euphrates. Without that record we have no reliable facts touching the first thirty centuries subsequent to the creation. All else is appointed of sixteen conturies. It was the heart of an empire that extended from the Persian gulf to the Caspian sea, and from Persia to the Mediterranean. There can be no doubt as to the high civilization of the Ninevites: intellectivally then extend to the heart of the heart of the high civilization of the Ninevites: intellectivally then extend to the head of the Alexandre.

ually they stand at the head of the Asiatic races. They are the capals of the Japanese in brongs work, of the Chinese in ivory work, of the Venetiats in colored glassware, of the Jews in rich embroidery and in their marvelous basteliefs. On the alabaster walls of their palaces were sculptured in relief flowing rivers, mountains covered with trees, friumphal processions, and, in a word, the daily life of the people. The city was an oblong square, sixty miles in circuit, and at each corner were royal palaces and sacred temples. These points were called Kuyuojek, Nimrood, Koosebed, Kaimies of the grandeur of Seneshieb it is impossible to speak in terms of sufficient praise. On all the walls of the corridor and hall, of the throne room and library, were the most elegant sculp. tures, and were they arranged in a line they would extend to not less than two miles. Adjoining it stood the palace of Assusbeni-pel, with flowery rosotted ceilings and arched doorways. In this palace lived Daracus, the last king of Nineyah Recent executions have been added. Nineveh. Recent excavations have proved that there never was an Assyrian king by the name of Sardanapalus; but the king who fired his pal-ace at the destruction of the city was Saracus, the son of Sennacherib. Two Liebrew prophets foretold the fall of the empire and the destruc-tion of the capital. They described the moral condition of the people who were to be conquerars, how the city was to be captured and its present desolation. Recent excavations have brought to light whole libraries of inscribed tablets, corresponding with Bible facts and the history of creation and of the flood, as given by Moses, is confirmed in all essential points by what is recorded in these tables, and equally significant is the fact that not far from the palace of Sennacherib is the tomb of the prophet Jonah. Like the coming spirit from another world, he entered that splendid city about 800 B. C., and in response to his earnest call for re-pentance the people turned from their sine, and

Jonah proved himself the greatest revivaliet known in the history of the Caurch. GOING UP STAIRS .- A member of a school . board writes that a building is about being erected for educational purposes, and wants to

know the effect on pupils and teachers of climb ing long flights of steirs. An eld man in ticctively goes round a log instead of stepping upon it; each step up is equal to lifting a considerable portion of the body, and the old bave no extra strength to spare, nor have the young and frail. The most robust are conscious of an effort in going up stairs, and we all "puff and blow" when we

get to the top.

In New York city the young and vigorous are appointed to deliver letters in the lower part of the town, where they have to be taken up two or three or more stories of buildings containing business offices; they all complain of the exhausting effects; every now and then the carrier is missed; on inquiring the answer is, "Dead." Others have had to give up at the end of three or four years and take positions for deliveries to private dwellings. If strong young men are thus were out, so much more will children and female teachers. If they must so up stairs, each step should not be over six inches high, and should be at least twelve inches broad, so as to give support to the whole foot at each head. There can be no argument against facts. In some cases weak lungs may be strengthened by going up stairs rapidly, with the mouth closed, so as to compel a deep inspiration when the top is reached, and thus compel the air to the very bottom of the lungs, distending them fully; but this, at the same time, endangers bleeding by the extra strain, if there is a tendency to hemorrhage or heart disease. The safest and best plan for all is to go up stairs slowly and deliterately, bearing in mind that, in all stages of life, equality of bodily motion and mental activity are most promotive of health. No person, after forty, should go on a run unless there is a seeming necessity for it. Running to catch a vehicle or a departing ferry toat is not only not dignified but is dangerous-always dangerous to young and oldand the more so as one is advanced in years, for, like going up stairs, it imposes an extra strain on the heart and lungs .- Hall's Journal of

NOTICE TO CITY TAX PAYERS!

COLLECTORS' OFFICE, Oct. 2, 1879. Notice is hereby given that the tax bills for 1879 are now in the hands of the Collectors. The

1879 are now in the hands of the Officetors. The attention of all parties interested is respectfully called to the following extract from the Revenue bill of this year:

"Upon all bills paid in full by the 1st day of November, 1879, the collectors of taxes shall allow a discount of five per cent and on all bills paid by the 1st day of December, 1879, they shall allow a discount of two per cent and on all bills not paid on the 2nd day of December, 1879, there not paid on the 2nd day of December, 1879, there shall be assessed and collected a penalty of FIVE PER CENT upon the amount of said bills, and on all bills remaining unpaid on the 1st day of June, 1880, damages at the rate of twelve per centum per annum shall be paid." Office: Rosm No. 6. Royal street front, Market Building.
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